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In re Application of	:	OFFICE OF PETITIONS
Nishibayashi et al.	:	
Application No. 09/942,101	:	ON PETITION
Filed: August 30, 2001	:	
Attorney Docket No. 50212-270	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 11, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **granted**.

This application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply to the final Office action mailed December 11, 2003. A one month extension of time was obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on April 12, 2004.

The instant petition requests revival of the application. Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). Therefore, the petition is granted and the application is revived.

The Office incorrectly charged petitioner's deposit account \$110 for a one month extension of time upon receipt of the petition. The \$110 will be credited back to petitioner's deposit account.

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